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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: :
Kent : Art Unit: 2676
AN 10/086,980 : Examiner: Tung, Kee M.
Filed: 03/01/2002 : Atty's Docket: TD-168
For: Yield Enhancement of Complex Chips (confirmation no. 6304)

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AMENDMENT

Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks
Alexandria, VA 22313

Technology Center 2600

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated 11/04/2003, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted. Any extension of time, necessary to prevent abandonment has been requested, and any fee necessary for consideration of this paper has been authorized to be charged to Deposit Account Number 07-2320.

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